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Hon. Barbara C. Moses, U.S.M.J. United States District Court Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007

RE: Rahman et al. v. Red Chili Indian Cafe, Inc. et al.,

No. 17-cv-05156-RA-BCM

To the Hon. Barbara C. Moses:

I represent "Plaintiffs" Liton Shah and Mahfujur Rahman. My co-counsel in this case is Tito Sinha, Esq., from the Urban Justice Center. I write pursuant to the June 10, 2019 Status Conference directive that Plaintiff file an affidavit of service concerning service of their motion to strike the answer and affirmative defenses of "Defendants" Mohammed Mojnu Miah and Mohammed Harun Miah (the "Motion"). The affidavit of service is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

By way of background, I note that the June 10, 2019 status conference was to address, *inter alia*, the Motion. On May 1, 2019, Plaintiffs filed the Motion, and in their Notice of Motion (Docket No. 51), Plaintiff did not set forth a specific return date for the motion; instead Plaintiffs stated they will move for an Order "on such date and time as the Court shall determine." As set forth in the attached affidavit of service, (Exhibit A), the Motion was served on May 6, 2019, on Defendants via Certified Mail at their addresses of record. On May 17, 2019, the Court issued an Order, extending, *sua sponte*, Defendants' deadline to respond to the Motion. The Order set the deadline at May 31, 2019.

Defendants had a full 24 days between the date the Motion was served and the date they were ordered to respond by. Plaintiff submit that in the circumstances, the Motion is in compliance with the requirements of FRCP Rule 6(c)(1), and the Court should rule on the Motion without giving Defendants any further opportunity to respond.

As always we thank the Court for its time and consideration. Thank you.

Best regards,
/s/ Mohammed Gangat
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cc: Tito Sinha (co-counsel for Plaintiffs) (via ECF)
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